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or if you haven't been bringing in enough oxygen? All of the above, he says. (Laugh) That's all that I have at this point. Thank you, Madam President.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Discussion on the Chambers amendment? Senator Schimek. Senator Schimek, would you allow me before we'll start your time, (visitors introduced). Now, Senator Schimek, I'll allow you to speak.

SENATOR SCHIMEK: Thank you, Madam President, members of the body. And I notice that the Chambers' amendment is now up on our gadgets, as Senator Chambers refers to them. I just rise to say that now that I really see the amendment, now that I really understand it, I think it's a good amendment and I would have no objection to it being adopted. I think it probably clarifies what we intended anyway. So, Senator Chambers, would you have a use for the rest of my time for any reason? With that, I return my time to the Chair.

SENATOR CROSBY: You have about four and a half minutes, Senator Chambers. No? Okay. Senator Dierks, on the Chambers amendment.

SENATOR DIERKS: Thank you, Madam President, members of the Legislature. The petition process is one that I've looked at for a long time, talked about quite a little and had a lot of input from my constituents. A number of these petition drives were started in my legislative district, and I know that some of them were not what some of our legislative friends enjoyed, or liked or wanted. And it's easy to find fault with them and to degrade their intentions. I don't question the purpose of Senator Chambers' amendment, I question some of the things that he said about poorly drafted and not intelligible and that sort of thing. And I think that the ones that I've seen were done well. I think that they served the purpose of the people who were circulating them. And I think if they weren't done well, they wouldn't have been successful in getting on the ballot. I've seen three of those petition drives started in my district that were later overturned by the Supreme Court by some decision that happened in the court. And I just...I think that our constitution is pretty specific, I think it was set up that way, that we would give these people the opportunity to do that. I